

LOCAL MENTION.

AMUSEMENTS TONIGHT.

Columbia—The Columbia Players in "The Little Grey Lady," 8:15 p.m.
 Casino—Vaudeville and moving pictures, 1:30 to 5 and 7:30 to 11 p.m.
 Majestic—Vaudeville and moving pictures, 2 to 5 and 7:15 to 11 p.m.
 Cosmos—Vaudeville and moving pictures, 11 a.m. to 11 p.m.
 Glen Echo—Free motion pictures, dancing and other amusements.
 Chevy Chase Lake—Marine Band concert, followed by dancing.
 The Arcade—Bowling garden, motion pictures, dancing, etc.

Fresh Peach Ice Cream.
 50¢ gallon, 50¢ 1/2 gallon. C. H. Reisinger, 225 G street northwest. Phone M. 2787.
 NO BRANCH STORES.

Old Gas Ranges Made New.
 615 12th. C. A. Muddiman & Co. 1204 G.

Reliable Relief for Eyes That Need Care. Murine Eye Remedy Soothes. Doesn't Smart. You Will Like Murine.

FOUND TO BE INNOCENT.

Men Arrested on Suspicion of Violating Immigration Law.

Antonio Davidson and Jim Reno, natives of Trinidad, South America, who came here on the schooner Ethelwild with a load of asphalt for the Maizey Block and Tile Company, were locked up at the fifth police station last night on suspicion that they had violated the immigration laws. The schooner upon which they came here belongs to a Boston firm and three weeks ago it sailed from this city. The police held the men in custody last night until an inspector from the bureau of immigration questioned them and reported that the law had not been violated.

Davidson and Reno said they were discharged from the schooner in this city, their terms of enlistment having expired shortly after their arrival here. They were without funds, they stated, but they were willing to work. Capt. Mulhall of the fifth precinct said this morning that they will be released.

FUNERAL OF MR. FLACK.

Services at St. Mary's Church, Rockville, This Afternoon.

The funeral of Joseph P. Flack, who died at Garfield Hospital Wednesday, after an operation for intestinal trouble, will be held at St. Mary's Catholic Church, Rockville, this afternoon at 4 o'clock.
 Mr. Flack was sixty-four years of age and had spent his life at the old Flack homestead, where he was born. He was well known throughout the surrounding country and had many friends in Washington. His wife, Elizabeth Bean, two sons, Francis and William, one daughter, Alberta, and four sisters, Mrs. Elizabeth Kilbuck, Mrs. Sarah Frank, Mrs. Jacob Root of Washington and Mrs. Philomena Hannah of Kansas City, Kan., survive him.

DIFFERENCES NOT ADJUSTED.

Meeting of Building Trades Council Barren of Results.

The differences of the Amalgamated Society of Carpenters and Joiners and the United Brotherhood of Carpenters were not patched up at the meeting of the Washington Building Trades Council last night. It was expected that William J. Spencer, secretary of the building trades section of the A. F. L., would attend the meeting last night, or would send the council a message demanding the expulsion of the Amalgamated Society of Carpenters and Joiners as part of the settlement of the differences. He obeyed the mandate issued by the building trades section of the A. F. L. but the order failed to arrive.

The United Brotherhood of Carpenters, whose members are on strike, have reached no understanding with the Builders' League, and the situation remains the same.
 At a special meeting of Bricklayers' Union, No. 1, and representatives of Stone Masons' Union, No. 1, were held to certain working rules that threatened to bring about internal differences between the two organizations were satisfactorily settled.

8:15 to Baltimore and Return.
 Saturdays and Sundays via Pennsylvania railroad. Ticket good for round-trip Sunday night. All regular trains except the "Congressional Limited."—Advt.

Arm and Leg Injured.
 James Shallcross, twenty-two years old, residing at 1207 11th street north, was accidentally injured by his bicycle while turning on 14th and P streets last night, injuring his leg and arm. He was taken to the Emergency Hospital.

Blaze in Unoccupied House.
 No. 19 engine company responded to a call last night and found a blaze in an unoccupied frame house at Mount Olivet road and Mount Olivet street, Mount City. The fire was of unknown origin and the structure was almost completely destroyed. The building was not insured.

Most for Least.
 The most value for the least money is found in Star want ads. Every penny in an efficient ad buys 10,000 readers. Think it over.

Injured by Fall.
 George Smith, colored, twenty years old, fell over an embankment near North Capitol and F streets this morning at 2 o'clock and severely injured his wrist. He was taken to the Emergency Hospital at 27 DeFries street after he received surgical treatment at the Casualty Hospital.

Hilda Johnston Placed With Friends.
 Hilda Johnston, the Norwegian girl who married Rev. John Strindvold, the negro priest, was recently sent to prison in Baltimore on a bigamy charge, was sent to New York yesterday by the board of charities. She is now with her sister in Brooklyn. The child to which she gave birth in Freedmen's Hospital remains here, and will be placed in some charitable institution by the charity workers.

Capital Lodge Installation.
 At a meeting of Capital Lodge, No. 11, I. O. M., last night, worthy Master E. A. Goldman appointed Past Master R. W. Phillips right guard and Andrew Mortenson left guard. District Deputy Ralph Bricker, assisted by Past Grand Architect Samuel H. Jacobson, installed the officers.

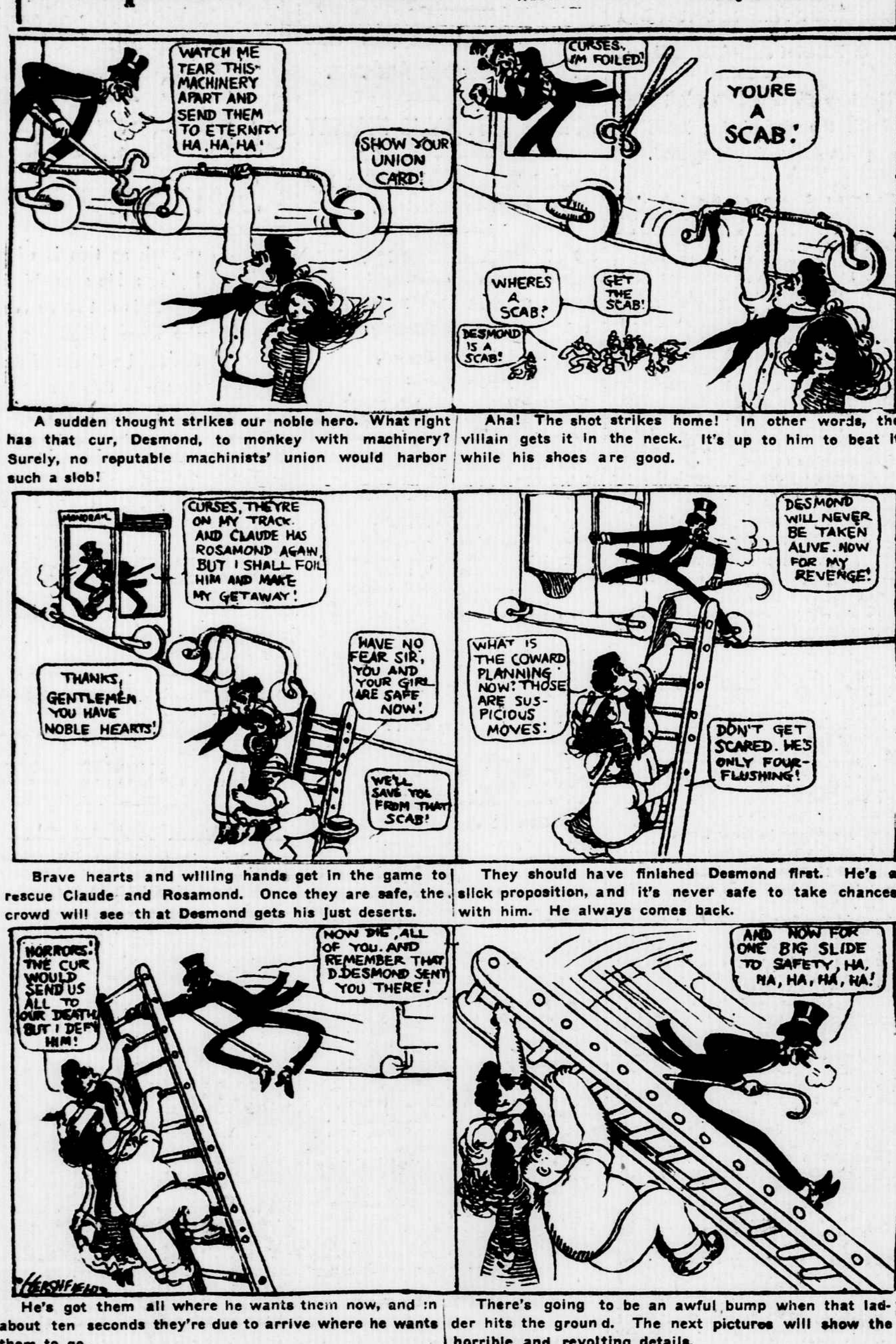
Round Trip Sundays, Bluemont, \$1.00.
 Southern railway special train, 8:55 a.m.—Advt.

Entertained by Washington Hive.
 The members of Liberty Hive, No. 7, District Hive, No. 8, and Victory Hive, No. 12, were entertained last night by Washington Hive, No. 1, ladies of the Macabees of the World. Mrs. Ellen Dinger, Miss Mary Dike, and Mrs. M. B. Berger were elected to membership. Mrs. Nancy Hazlewood of Norfolk, Va., was guest and Mrs. Melba J. Caswell, state commander, made her official visit. Several musical selections were rendered by Miss Hazlewood Thompson.

Navy Yard Branch.
 Bradley's Drug Store 3th and E streets southeast, receives "Want Ads" for The Star at 1 cent a word.

Desperate Desmond

A Picture Drama of Love and Hate, with a Thrill in Every Picture



Never Again!

By T. E. Powers



CITY ITEMS.

North Chesapeake Beach, Flat Room and Board; Pines-Holly, 1115 Eye N.W. 1222-217.

"Perfection" Ginger Ale Costs Less—than the imported, but is distinguished by the same high quality. Snappy, wholesome, delicious. Order from your grocer or Arlington Bottling Co. Call W. 54 1222-54.

With Your Next Millwork Order Have us send one of our Estimate Men and Books. Free. Eisinger Bros., 2109 11th 1222-488,3.

Carpets Look Best When Cleaned By HINKEL, 488 Me. Ave. Prices satisfactory as the work. New fireproof building for the safe storage of floor coverings. Phone 2025.

What to Drink in Hot Weather Is a question to which HETTERICH BEERS furnish the best answer. Unsurpassed in purity, quality, deliciousness. 2 doz. 12 oz. bottles for \$1.75. 2 doz. Lager, 12 oz. bottle rebate, 50¢.

Christian Xander's 4 Virginia Cigarettes Health wines that enrich and cool the blood. 20¢, 25¢, 30¢, 40¢, 50¢, 70¢.

Homemade Milk Bread Is Always Good. The uniform quality and purity of Holmes' Genuine Homemade Milk Bread is due to the superior ingredients used in the making. Milk bread is delivered fresh and clean from oven to table. See Holmes' Bakery, 107 F. st. n.w. Tel. M. 457.

ENGINEER'S HAND TORN.

James O'Donnell Meets With Accident on Police Tug.

Engineer James O'Donnell of the harbor police boat Vigilant had the second finger on his right hand badly torn while on duty aboard the police tug yesterday afternoon. The Vigilant was making her regular rounds over District waters when Mr. O'Donnell noticed a knock on his engine. In trying to locate the noise he placed his hand on the eccentric while it was in motion. His hand slipped and the finger was caught by the machinery and a bolt head ripped through the first joint of the finger, laying the bone bare.

AIDS TO NAVIGATION.

Notice to Mariners of Changes in This District.

A notice to mariners, regarding changes in aids to navigation in Chesapeake bay and its tributaries, has been issued as follows:
 Potomac river, Maryland—Mattawoman shoal buoy, No. 35, a spar, found broken off; was replaced July 19.
 Chesapeake bay entrance, Virginia—Middle ground north end gas, whistling and submarine bell buoy, No. 8, found out of position; was replaced July 15.
 Baltimore harbor entrance, Maryland—Brewerton channel buoy, No. 29, a spar, found missing, and Fort McHenry channel buoy, No. 40, a spar, found broken off; were replaced July 18.
 Mobjack bay, Virginia—North and Ware rivers junction buoy, a spar, reported out of position June 17, was replaced July 13.

Paint Brush Free with each purchase. FLOOR STAIN AND VARNISH. THE BETTER KIND. 15¢. Hodgkin's Family Paint Store, 915 7th st. n.w. 1222-101.

Need Bifocals?

—Be sure and get Lense Bifocals, in which the reading and distance lenses are joined in one special pair, which leaves no blank division line. Manufacturing Optician, M. A. Leese, 614 9th st. n.w. 1222-102.

HEALTH CANDIES 100% PURE. Butter Creams, 40c Lb. Our delicious, wholesome cream, flavored with butter, are the delectable confections imaginable. They are sold in the finest of our candies—the finest that can be made. Vanilla Chocolate, 60c Lb. Strawberry Chocolate, 60c Lb. Cocoa Cream, 40c Lb. Chocolate Ice Cream. Open evenings. 1203-1205 G St.

THE FINEST THAT NATURE PRODUCES. Breakfast Melons. Our dainty, luscious Cantaloupes refresh and stimulate the appetite for the morning meal. Berries, Cherries, Peaches. Fruits and Delicacies of unsurpassed quality.

THE FRUIT AND NUT SHOP, 1231 G Street. Close 7 p.m. during July and August.

Christian Xander's Ne Plus Ultra. Its great age and grand qualities make it the choice both for medicinal and social purposes. \$2.50 full qt., \$1.25 pt. The Family Quality House, 909 7th St. No branch houses. 1221 204.

CHESAPEAKE BAY RESORTS. One-day excursion tickets from Washington to following resorts via Baltimore, Port Deposit, Calverton and Love Point Ferry, \$1.50. Saturday, return, \$2.00. Sunday, \$1.25. Delightful trip. Ches. Bay & beautiful view of Annapolis. One-day excursion, via Annapolis (good meals on boat, 50¢), \$1.00. Ocean City and Rehoboth Beach, going Saturday, return, \$2.00. Monday night, \$1.00. Pen. Mar. in Blue Ridge Mountains, one-day excursion, \$1.00. Atlantic City via Chesapeake Bay, an interesting trip. C. and D. Chesapeake Bay, \$1.00. WASH., BALT. & ANNAP. ELLEC. RY. CO. 1214-901-20.

WHEN you employ us to look after your advertising you always have an experienced advertising man to look to for advice and assistance. We write the right ads, make advertising good advertising. Star Ad-Writing Bureau, 1000 W. Co. St. Phone 102-100-104. F. T. Hurley, Star Building. W. L. Tenney, Phone M. 2440.

CODE OF AIR-WAY LAWS

FRENCH COMMISSION WILL BEGIN SESSIONS TOMORROW.

Many Questions to Be Considered Affecting Aviators and Construction of Aeroplanes.

Not only are pilots' licenses to be demanded of all aviators, but there is a prospect that manufacturers of aeroplanes in France, at least, will hereafter be compelled to submit their machines to certain structural tests so that the construction of a flying machine will be supervised by the government quite as closely as the building of a house.

A special commission has been appointed by the minister of public works in France to consider a code of laws relating to the air. This commission will begin its sittings tomorrow. The laws it will frame are expected to be the foundation for air-law. Up to date there has been no special necessity for such law, and the common law contains some things that undoubtedly will have to be altered as the art of mechanical flight becomes more general.

The new code is expected to contain clauses regarding trespass and aerial rights of land tenants, rules of the road for the great overhead highway, and special rules such as have heretofore been wanting, owing to there being no call for their application.

It is expected also that the commission will deal with the construction of aeroplanes. It has been shown that many of the accidents heretofore met with by aviators have been due to faulty construction, and it is admitted by mechanical experts that many machines are made now with a view solely to the necessary lightness and without taking into account the "limit of safety" common in building bicycles and all other forms of mechanical construction.

Among the new rules that it has been thought the French commission will enact is one absolutely prohibiting aviators from flying over cities, owing to the danger entailed on the people below them.

OLD SCHOONER BEING REBUILT.

The S. Sawyer Built More Than Half a Century Ago.

The work of overhauling the hulls of the barge Plume E. Smith and sloop William Parks at the Alexandria shipyard has been completed and the vessels put overboard. They sailed yesterday for a down-river point to load back to this city.

The two-masted schooner S. Sawyer on Chesapeake bay, in 1850 for the coasting trade. She was brought to Chesapeake bay about five years ago.

The steam barge Dennis Simmons, a well known lumber trader to this city from points on the inland waters of Carolina, has been hauled out on the marine railway at Beecham's shipyard, Baltimore, for hull repairs and painting. She will continue repairs this week and will return to North Carolina to load for this city or Baltimore.

ALONG THE RIVER FRONT.

Arrivals.

Sloop Relta Cater, cord wood from Nanjamoy to the dealers here; Consolidation Coal Company barge No. 21, from Parker's Point, Maine, to Alexandria; schooner Five Sisters, lumber from Aquia creek for the market here; schooner Carria Revell, cord wood and veneer logs from a river point to dealers at Alexandria; sloop Water Lily, light, from a cruise on the river; barge Nettie T. Nikola, foundry iron at Alexandria from a lower river point; schooner Samuel Wood, cord wood from St. Clements bay to Georgetown dealers; tug James O. Carter, towing a Consolidation Coal Company barge from Point Lookout to Alexandria; schooner Oakland, cord wood from a lower Potomac point, at the 10th street wharf; tug Miller, with a tow from Little Hunting creek.

Departures.

Schooner Plume E. Smith, light, from Alexandria for a down-river point to load back to this city; schooner Henry A. Jordan, light, from Alexandria for a lower Potomac point to load; schooner Five Sisters, lumber from Aquia creek for the market here; schooner Carria Revell, cord wood and veneer logs from a river point to dealers at Alexandria; sloop Water Lily, light, from a cruise on the river; barge Nettie T. Nikola, foundry iron at Alexandria from a lower river point; schooner Samuel Wood, cord wood from St. Clements bay to Georgetown dealers; tug James O. Carter, towing a Consolidation Coal Company barge from Point Lookout to Alexandria; schooner Oakland, cord wood from a lower Potomac point, at the 10th street wharf; tug Miller, with a tow from Little Hunting creek; tug Capt. Toby, with a tow from a down-river point.

Memoranda.

Schooner Clemmie Travers is chartered to load lumber at Norfolk for the dealers here; schooner Belmont, is loading rail way ties in Craney Island Swath for Alexandria; Consolidation Coal Company barge No. 6, laden with coal from Georgetown, passed out capes of Chesapeake Wednesday in tow of tug Savage for Boston; Clark hoister, never in lying in mouth of Potomac creek awaiting a cargo; schooner Ada Hallenger is lying at Fairly for loading point; tug Instant, with tow of lighters for sand-digging machines in Piscataway creek; tug Capt. Toby, with a tow from a down-river point.

Pushing McElroy's Candidacy.

The candidacy of John McElroy, one of the leaders in local G. A. R. circles, for commander-in-chief of the organization at the coming national camp at Atlantic City September 10, is being pushed by his veteran comrades in the District of Columbia, according to announcements of the local G. A. R. officials yesterday. It is expected by the time the national camp convenes Mr. McElroy's friends will have secured pledges of sufficient voters to give him a prominent place in the balloting. Over to the proximity of Atlantic City for the coming year, local G. A. R. men will attend the camp.

Police to Search for Boy.

The police have been asked to find John Conroy, twelve years old, whose home is at 1231 C street southeast. He is reported to have left his home about 6 o'clock yesterday afternoon, after stating that he wanted to leave the city.

National Union Outing.

The annual outing at Marshall Hall of Government Printing Office Council, No. 211, National Union, will take place tomorrow, and it is expected to make only an outing for the council but the order as well, invitations being extended to all the councils of Washington to attend. The steamer Charles Macalester leaves at 10 a.m., 2:15 and 6:30 p.m. Amusements, games and races will follow the occasion, and many attractive features will be presented it is promised.

The committee in charge, representing the council, is composed of Elmer DeWitt, president; Joseph E. Colton, president of the cabinet; T. A. Eyrum, financial secretary; Arthur M. Bugden and Arthur J. Gleason.

Athletic Contests to Be Feature.

Athletic contests will be one of the attractions at the annual excursion of Canton Washington, No. 1, Patriarchs Militant, I. O. O. F., at Chesapeake Beach next Monday, according to an announcement made by the excursion committee today. From the number of persons who have signified their intention of making the trip it is expected the excursion will be one of the largest to the bayside resort this year.

SEEKING TO FIND A WAY

AFFILIATION OF RETAILERS AND CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

Committee Appointed by Directors of the Latter Body to Meet Officials of the Former.

In order to aid in bringing about the affiliation of the new Retail Merchants Association with the Washington Chamber of Commerce the board of directors of the chamber yesterday passed a resolution for the appointment of a committee of seven to take up the matter with the officers and governing board of the retail merchants' organization. The committee consists of D. J. Kaufman, chairman; James F. Oyster, A. Lettich-Sinclair, J. L. Weller, D. S. Porter, Harry King and Chapin Brown.

The committee was appointed after a general discussion of the question by the members of the board and the representatives of the new association, Joseph Strassburger, James F. Oyster and Isaac Gans, who attended the special meeting of the board for this purpose. Joseph Strassburger, who is president of the new organization, is also chairman of the retail trade committee of the chamber, and a member of the board of directors. He told the board that the retail merchants were desirous of becoming affiliated with the chamber, but that they believed the constitution of the chamber was not broad enough to admit of as much freedom of action as the merchants wished.

Mr. Kaufman called a meeting of his committee today to discuss plans by which the two organizations may be affiliated. He said that the constitution of the chamber may be necessary. He said that a meeting of the committee and the officers of the new association would be held later.

The board of directors of the chamber authorized the secretary to provide 2,000 badges to be used by the local committee in charge of the national and international convention of prison reform, which will meet in Washington in September.

Popular \$1 Excursion Sunday, July 24, Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, to Frederick, Keedysville and Hagerstown from Union station at 8 a.m.; returning, leave Hagerstown 6, Keedysville 6:20 and Frederick 6:30 p.m. same day.—Advt.

CAMP PERRY RIFLE PRACTICE.

Annual Event Will Be Held Week of August 8.

The annual rifle and revolver meet, under the auspices of the national board for the promotion of rifle practice, will be held this year, beginning August 8, at Camp Perry, Ohio. The National Rifle Association and the Ohio Rifle Association have decided to combine their annual matches with this event to insure its success. The state of Ohio furnishes the range and the government gives a large sum of money for prizes in the national match, in addition to gold, silver and bronze medals. It is expected that teams representing the National Guard of practically every state will compete.

Camp Perry is located on the south shore of Lake Erie, twenty-nine miles east of Toledo, and is within easy reach of Put-In-Bay, Cedar Point and other well known summer resorts.

FINDING OF PIPE LEAKS

Pitometer Division of Water Department Reports on Work of a Year.

In a summary of the work of the pitometer division of the water department for the fiscal year ended June 30 it is shown that underground leaks discovered and stopped during the year resulted in a saving to the water supply system of \$364,190 gallons per day—or an amount equal to approximately one-tenth of the total daily water consumption of the District of Columbia. Most of this waste, or an average of nearly 3,000,000 gallons of water daily, was due to defective service pipes leading into residences and business houses.

The pitometer division inspected a grand total of 21,042 houses during the year, and leaking fixtures were discovered in 3,305, or 15 per cent.

In explaining the operation of the pitometer service today, George W. Wallace, water registrar of the District, said that the discovery of an ordinary leakage in a service pipe is followed by a formal notification to the tenant of the premises, with instructions to have the owner make repairs within ten days. If at the end of that period the leak still obtains, the water is shut off. If the leak discovered is a serious one, only forty-eight hours are allowed for repair, and if it be of such proportions that continued pouring of water into the ground threatens to wash out sidewalks or roads, the flow of water is stopped immediately.

The total expenditure of the pitometer division for the year, for labor, material, etc., amounted to \$28,625.95.

8:15 to Baltimore and Return.

Every Saturday and Sunday. All trains, both ways, both days, except Royal Limited.—Advt.

Fears Injury, Jumps From Window.

Fearing he was about to be injured by an explosion at the main plot of the gas company last night, about 11:45 o'clock, Herman King, thirty-four years old, residing at 2109 F street northwest, jumped from a window and painfully injured his ankle. There was no trouble getting into the dock and no damage resulted. King was taken to the Emergency Hospital.

Ideal Nights for Motoring on the

speedway and through the parks in TCO taxicabs; \$3 hour. Phone N. 1212.—Advt.

Dock Is Being Deepened.

The water in the docks of the Washington Gas Light Company, at Georgetown, where the big barges unload coals of coal from Philadelphia, Baltimore and other ports, is being deepened so that the deep-draft vessels that come there with cargoes will have no trouble getting into the dock at low tide at any stage of the tide. These docks are located at the mouth of the Chesapeake and Ohio canal, where boats are locked out into the river, and they shall rapidly, it is said, from washings from the canal barges are locked out. The work is being done by one of the dredging machines belonging to the Miller Company of this city, and it is said, several days will be required to complete the work.

Dancing to Marine Band Music Evenings at Chevy Chase Lake. Grand concert.

Automobile Smashes Trolley Pole. An automobile belonging to John H. Nolan of 1425 G street ran into a trolley pole near Connecticut avenue and Ordway street last night about 10:30 o'clock and considerable damage resulted. The trolley pole was broken and the automobile damaged to the amount of about \$200. Nobody was injured.

HOME OF COSMOS CLUB

ADDITION BEING BUILT; OLD STRUCTURE IMPROVED.

"Dolly Madison House" Preserved, But More Room and Modern Facilities Planned.

Pending changes and improvements in the club building at the southeast corner of H street and Madison place the Cosmos Club is occupying the new addition to the building which adjoins it on the south with a frontage on Madison place. It is expected by the middle of September the work will be finished and the club will then be in possession of the entire structure enlarged and improved.

It is proposed to make a new entrance on H street, where there will be reception and cloak rooms, with new stairways to the upper floors, and also new offices. The interior of the old portion will be redecorated, it is stated, but the arrangement of the rooms will not be materially changed. This old section of what is now a very large and complete building for the Cosmos Club will then be in possession of the entire structure enlarged and improved.

The new portion of the building, which has just been completed and is now in use by the club, is five stories in height, with a front of brick and stone harmonizing in its color scheme and also in its design with that of the original section, the whole forming what is regarded as a very satisfactory group. An entrance has been provided from Madison place into the new part of the building and the old portion will be a hall which will be used as the meeting place of the various scientific societies of the city which have been accustomed for years past to hold their gatherings within the walls of the Cosmos Club.

Reading Room and Billiard Hall.

On this floor will also be the reading room and the billiard room and a barber shop. Bedrooms will occupy the space on the second, third and part of the fourth floors. There are twenty-eight sleeping rooms and with those in the old portion of the building there will be thirty-five bedrooms, arranged in suites and separate, with shower baths. On the fourth floor is a private dining room, while the entire fifth floor is taken up with the general dining room and the kitchen.

Star Branch at Dupont Circle.

The Dupont Pharmacy, 20th and P sts., receives "Want Ads" for The Star at 1 cent a word. Telephone numbers "ads" direct to The Star office.

RESENT CADDIES' TACTICS.

Columbia Club Golfers Will Not Take Strikers Back.

The striking caddies at the Columbia Golf Club have "queered" themselves with the members of the club once and for all, the members declare, and they will not be employed again as caddies. The striking caddies have smashed windows, torn up the putting greens and threatened the new caddies with all kinds of corporal punishment. The club members were not taken this action on the part of the caddies kindly. Policemen have been on guard recently, and it is said the strikers will get a lesson if they are caught doing damage. The boys struck because they did not get an increase of from 10 cents to 15 cents for eighteen holes, to which they claimed they were entitled.